Hey, there, Puddin'. Do you know what's coming for you? It's almost a new year, and it's going to be a big one for you. You're going to learn how to walk, and you're going to learn how to talk. You're due to find out there's something around besides that thing which feeds you and that one that plays with you. This new year, this 1956, is going to be a fine one for you.

Look up, Lauran. Keep your head up high. The longer you stay around, the better you'll like this life you are just beginning. Sure, you're going to have troubles and trials and bad times. There'll be years when it doesn't rain and you'll think everything's going to blow away, but the rains won't be gone forever. There'll be diseases to slow you down, but there'll be fewer diseases because more preventions and cures will be discovered.

There may even be another war, and if there is one, you are liable to be as involved in it as your man is, but there's plenty of living after a war and maybe you can find a way to end wars. There are going to be a lot of little things that will get in your way and will seem like insurmountable problems, but you will find a way and will be the better for it. You'll learn that, "This, too, shall pass away."

But everything won't be dreary. There'll be some fine times. You'll have your first day at school, your first date and first party dress. You'll have birthday parties, with games and presents and ice cream and cake. There'll be a long succession of wonderful Christmastimes. There'll be delightful stories of fairies and elves, of cowboys and Indians, and there'll be Donald Duck and Mickey Mouse. There'll be the stories of other children in the Bible.

There'll be tinkly music to dance to, solemn music to search your soul and dramatic music to set your imagination afire. There'll be band music to march to, and football music to yell with.

There'll be more fine times than dreary times, and you'll find that the fun you've enjoyed will be remembered and the bad times will fade away in your mind.

Look up, Puddin'. You don't know it now, but 1956 is your year. It's my year, too, but for you it's the year when you begin to live. Look forward to it, Lauran. The world belongs to you and all those just like you. Welcome 1956 with a smile.

(Lauran, nine months old, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Fulton Jr.)

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C of C Banquet Plans Dropped

The much-postponed Chamber of Commerce banquet has been called off, and there will be no banquet this year, Roland Black, chamber manager, announced Tuesday.

The banquet, which has been rescheduled several times, was to have been held Jan. 12, but the date conflicts with the concert of Leonard Pinnario in the college auditorium. "We just never were able to find an open date that didn't conflict with something else," Black said.

New officers of the chamber were to have been introduced at the banquet. The chamber had planned a variety program for the banquet, forsaking the usual speeches.

The new officers of the chamber are R. B. Allen, president, Delbert Lowes, vice president, and John Taylor, treasurer. The three new directors elected early last fall are Joe Byrd, the Rev. T. Winston Wilbanks and Clarence Kincaid.

Outgoing directors are Jack Jennings, the Rev. Strauss Atkinson and Dr. Ples Harper. Outgoing officers are Truett Hull, president, Allen, vice president, and Jennings, treasurer.

Save Wastepaper For Cub Pack 31

Those who are saving paper for Cub Pack 31 are asked to bundle the newspapers and magazines and put the bundles out in the front yard before 1 p. m. Jan. 7.

The pack is asking Canyon citizens to save paper for them between now and Jan. 7. The Cubs will collect the paper during the afternoon and sell it to help with the expenses of the pack.

Tax Collections Good Until Now

County, school and city tax collections are good for this time of year, collectors said yesterday, as only four days were left for discounts.

County Tax Assessor-Collector Bill Money said that 73 per cent of taxes owed had been collected. The county gives a three per cent discount in October, two per cent in November and one per cent in December, as does the school system. The city gives no discount.

During the month of January, no discount is given, but a 1.5 per cent per month penalty begins Feb. 1. After July, county taxes become delinquent and an 11 per cent penalty is charged with an added .5 per cent per month and a charge for a redemption certificate.

School tax collector Lee Foster said between 75 and 76 per cent of school taxes had been collected yesterday.

City Secretary Dudley Bayne estimated that 60 per cent of the city taxes had been paid.

Name Selector

Judy Stevenson draws a slip from the cage in the 3 p. m. drawing for turkeys Saturday afternoon.

Turkey Crowd

A portion of the crowd which gathered around the bandstand at 3 p. m. Saturday for the drawing for turkeys donated by downtown merchants.

Holiday Retreat Underway Here

Arthur Nichel, superintendent of the Child Evangelism Fellowship in the British Islands, is the missionary speaker at the Youth Holiday Retreat being held here today through Friday.

The retreat is conducted by the fellowship and young people of high school and college age are attending from Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas. Meetings are being held in the First Christian Church, the VFW Hall and the lodge at Palo Duro State Park.

The theme of the conference is "Their Future Depends on You." Director of the retreat is Ross White of Amarillo.

Working with White are Dr. Frank R. Mann, Newton, Kan., H. A. Hitchcock, Oklahoma City, Louise Paulger and Leona Hooper of the West Texas Child Evangelism Fellowship.

Nickel is on furlough following his first term in Britain. While there he worked with young people in Bible schools and colleges.

Townspeople are invited to the meetings of the retreat, and especially to the night meetings. Tonight and tomorrow night the meetings will be in the First Christian Church. The Friday night meeting will be in the Palo Duro lodge. Night meetings begin at 7 p. m.

Date Set for First 1956 Scout Meeting

The Girl Scouts of Troop 3 will meet Jan. 9 at the Scout House according to Mrs. Marvin McBroom, leader.

Knighton Family Injured in Wreck

A former Canyon family was injured in an automobile accident in Perryton as they were leaving for a Christmas visit in Canyon Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom E. Knighton, their daughter Jennifer, and Fae Marie Beck, former West Texas student, were treated in the Perryton hospital. All have been released from the hospital.

Most seriously injured was Jennifer, who suffered a skull fracture. She was taken home Monday morning.

Knighton suffered a cut on his head and Mrs. Knighton suffered bruises.

Miss Beck suffered knee and leg injuries.

The Knightons and Miss Beck were leaving Perryton about 8 p. m. Saturday when their car was struck on the left side by another as they crossed an intersection.

Knighton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Knighton and Mrs. Knighton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Sanders. Another Knighton child, Jeff, was in Canyon at the time of the accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lentner and daughters, Dorothy and Marjorie, of Roswell, N. M., were Christmas holiday guests in the homes of Mrs. Lentner's mother, Mrs. Bertha Rhoads, and Mrs. Lentner's sister, Mrs. Levi Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Goodman and family of Austin are spending the vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Goodman of Canyon and her mother, Mrs. Ema Jackson of Ralls.

45-Cent Paving Gone Saturday

The final deadline for applications for the paving plan now in effect is Saturday.

City Secretary Dudley Bayne said several applications were received this week.

The paving, of farm-to-market specifications, is being offered at 45 cents a running foot to property owners. The city will bear the expense of preparing the base this winter, and the topping will be applied in the spring.

The commission has ordered that only entire blocks of paving can be accepted, and that those blocks paved must tie on to existing paving.

KC Man Charged With Assault

A 22-year-old Kansas City man was to be charged this morning with criminally assaulting a 14-year-old Amarillo girl Monday night.

The offense is alleged to have occurred about 11 p. m. Monday on a country lane about 1½ miles south of Amarillo.

The man, who says he works for a tree-trimming service, was arrested Tuesday night at Fourth and Polk in Amarillo by Sheriff L. S. Johnston and Amarillo police officers.

He had been the object of an intense search by police since the offense was reported. The girl had given police an incomplete description of her attacker.

Sheriff Johnston said the man had a bad conduct discharge from the service, and had been court-martialed several times. He said the girl reported that she had been introduced to the man at an Amarillo rollerskating rink Monday night and left the rink with him.

Maggie Burrus Has 59 Folks at Dinner

Fifty-nine people were present at the annual Christmas dinner in the home of Mrs. Maggie Burrus. All of the children, grandchildren, except two, and all the great-grandchildren attended.

Stork Specials

Mr. and Mrs. Toney Brown are the proud parents of a daughter Toni Diane, born Dec. 19 at Houston. She weighed 9 lbs. 10 oz.

Mrs. Ethel Dooley and Ava Hendrix and Cheryl of Panaca, Nev., are spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Carol Dooley and family.

Ringgold Redskins Spear Eagle Cagers 45-35 In Holiday Game

The touring Ringgold, La., Redskins defeated Canyon High's Eagles 45-35 in a pre-Christmas game here last Friday.

The next basketball game scheduled in the high school gym is at 7 p. m. Tuesday against Happy. Both the girls and the varsity teams will have games.

George Boies of the Louisiana team led scoring in last week's game with a total of 18 points from seven field goals and four free shots. He was followed by teammate Spider Youngblood, who made 16 points from six field goals and four free throws.

Melvin Cunningham led the Eagle scoring with 12 points from six field goals. He hit 43½ per cent of his shots from the floor.

George Snapp, playing his first game for Canyon this year, was second in Eagle scoring with 10 points from four field goals and two free shots.

The Eagles hit 15 of their 46 field goal attempts and five of their nine free shots.

Red and white-clad Ringgold gathered up two points in the opening minutes of the game and led from there on out. With only 3:19 minutes left in the first quarter, Charles Neblett made the first Canyon goal to make the score 5-2.

Neblett dumped in two more quick baskets while Ringgold got two more points, then Cunningham made his first basket of the night and the quarter ended with Ringgold leading 9-8.

The second quarter was a defensive battle with both teams racing from one goal to the other, but Ringgold's offense proved better than the Eagles, and the halftime score was 20-15 for the Redskins.

Canyon pulled up to within one point of Ringgold for more than a minute during the third quarter, which ended with Ringgold ahead 28-25.

Within seconds after the beginning of the last quarter, Canyon got up to 28-27, but began trailing farther behind as the seconds fled away. The Redskins reached their greatest lead with 1:45 left to play, heading the Eagles 45-29.

The Eagles pulled up when A. L. Pruett made two points with 47 seconds left, Neblett two with 25 seconds left and Snapp two more with three seconds left.

19 Turkeys Given In Saturday Drawing

Nineteen lucky people won turkeys at the merchant's drawing Saturday in Canyon.

Registering in downtown stores, along with hundreds of other customers, the winners were awarded the turkeys immediately following the drawing.

Winners were Mrs. Noah Amason, Mrs. Henry Cone, Pat Holland, Ralph Green, Mrs. Ted Kelly, A. C. Darst, Mrs. C. W. Smyrl, Joe G. Ramirez, Myrtle Rusk, Della Glenn, E. A. Oberst Jr., S. M. Bosley, Mrs. H. E. Campfield, Mrs. Murray Boston, Shirley Peppard, Jo Warren, Eva Furlow, S. M. Mahle and Dan Parker.

The turkeys were donated by the merchants in appreciation to their customers.

Fred E. Wortham is spending a 30-day furlough in Canyon with Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Clark.

Top Sales(wo)man

A trophy topped by a business-suited man with a briefcase was awarded recently to Mrs. Barbara Wirt as the top Whirlpool salesman in this area. Mrs. Wirt's name will be inscribed on a permanent plaque at Whirlpool headquarters in recognition of her honor. Mrs. Wirt believes she is the first woman who has been recognized as a top Whirlpool salesman.

EDITORIAL

Views and Comments

A weekly magazine, *National Review*, has started a project that could turn into the wildest red-eyed witch hunt that you've seen since Joe McCarthy.

The magazine is asking college students to gather and report evidence "of such nature as will clarify the question whether teachers are engaged in indoctrinating their students."

To make sure they get some material, the magazine is offering $100 awards to "two students who submit the most revealing material." Examples of what the magazine is seeking are given in an open letter to college newspaper editors.

The magazine submits these questions:

"Does your economics teacher refer impartially—or in any other way—to the works of Friedrich Hayek, Ludwig von Mises, Lionel Robbins, Frank Knight, Orval Watts, Wilhelm Roepke, or to those of any other economist of the non-Keynesian school?

"Does the teacher of psychology dismiss religion as fantasy before or after exposing you to the works of St. Thomas Aquinas or Paul Tillich, or Reinhold Niebuhr?

"Does your professor of international relations suppress or ignore the writings of learned men who differ with him as to how best to cope with world problems? Is he fair in presenting both pro and con views about the United Nations?"

To those questions I might add a couple. "Does your geography teacher present fairly the economic position of the oil fields in Saudi Arabia? Does your mathematics professor require you to memorize the trigonometric functions? Does your English instructor downgrade the works of some American authors while praising Shakespeare? Does your music teacher prefer classical works to American jazz?"

Bah, phooey and a pox on *National Review*. I can see a flood of "significant" evidence pouring into the magazine, evidence gathered by students who are disgruntled and who can't see in front of their runny noses.

Any college professor who isn't indoctrinating his students to a certain degree isn't worth much. English instructors strive to indoctrinate students with a love for good literature and a respect for good grammar. Economics professors are doing their best to indoctrinate their students with the desire for knowing the operations of various economic systems.

In fact, any good college teacher is trying to indoctrinate his students with a desire for gaining knowledge and with the realization of the need for individual thinking. One of the better ways to make young people think for themselves is to shock them with off-beat propositions by presenting ideas unfairly.

National Review wants to "act as a repository for research material on this important question" and to sell a lot of magazines. I hope they do.

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Texas drafted 957 men in November and sent them to the Army and Navy. Some 260 volunteered and the rest were "selected." The Army also examined 2,031 Texans in November and rejected 736.

Lots of people suddenly have become excited over the fact that the soldiers in Korea are going to spend another winter in tents instead of in permanent barracks. That word "permanent" sounds like a long time to me, doesn't it to you?

I spent three winters in Korea, two of which were in what you might call "permanent" barracks—they were in barracks built by the Japanese Navy. The third I spent on the ground, sometimes in tents and sometimes not—more often not.

As I remember, I stayed just about as warm while on the ground as I did in the barracks. It wasn't so convenient, however. The weather there is too dern cold either way you look at it.

"Permanent" is an awful long time, though. "Permanent" means that in November, 1975, The Army and Navy will be requiring another 957 men from Texas. "Permanent" means that the United States will still be spending $35 billion a year for defense in 1980 and 2005.

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Erstwhile gubernatorial candidate Ralph Yarborough spoke on two extremely diverse subjects recently, and talked as if he were planning a race for the governor's seat, even if he hasn't announced.

At Beaumont, he came out for a state narcotics police force and at Paducah he spoke for re-establishing farm price supports at 90 per cent of parity and for putting a "permanent stop to the alarming and dangerous downward trend in small family farm income."

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One of the more prominent Southern superstitions surrounding New Year's Day is that good luck for the coming 365 days lies in eating black-eyed peas. In fact, there are people who predict dire circumstances will fall on those who do not include black-eyed peas on their New Year's Day menu.

Recently, a national association for the advancement, appreciation, praise and furthering of the black-eyed pea was organized at Taylor, Texas. Presumably, the association will strive to introduce the black-eyed pea habit to the Yankees.

Dallas News columnist Frank X. Tolbert wrote last week of the black-eyed pea and quoted fellow-*News*-staffer Allen Duckworth on the bad things that happen to people who don't eat black-eyed peas.

Tolbert said Duckworth came up with research that the Confederate troops were living on almost nothing but black-eyed peas when they scored both of their great victories at Bull Run. Duckworth also says the black-eyed peas the troops were eating were brought up from Texas on muletrains, and when the supply was cut off the Confederates began losing the war.

Further Tolbert research shows that the Oregon Ducks, Pacific Coast co-champions, failed to eat black-eyed peas before playing in the 1949 Cotton Bowl game and lost to SMU. The Mustangs, of course, had their black-eyed peas. Tolbert said that all teams playing in the Cotton Bowl nowadays don't neglect the black-eyed pea ceremony. When both teams eat black-eyed peas, it becomes necessary to place the blame for the loss by one team on bad playing or something like that, rather than on players who were hungry from New Year's Day black-eyed peas.

Whether you are superstitious or not, it might be a good idea to cook up a mess of peas next Sunday. It won't hurt to be on the safe side, and they are pretty tasty anyhow.

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In a couple more days, a new year will be born. We'll spend the first few days writing the wrong date, making and breaking resolutions. We'll be busy with inventories, and it won't be long until time for income tax returns.

Before you know it, the baseball season will start, then school will be out and we'll worry about where to take our vacations. All of a sudden, school will start again, football games will fill our Friday nights and Saturday afternoons—and blooey, there's 1957 staring us in the face.

Here's wishing every one of you a happy, full and prosperous 1956 (and 1957, too, since it's not so far off).

Sports Quiz

1. What team defeated Michigan in football this year?
2. What teams defeated Notre Dame?
3. Who is Willie Hartack?
4. For whom does Bob Porterfield pitch?
5. Can you name the American League baseball player who placed fourth in the recent voting to name that league's most valuable player for 1955?

THE ANSWERS:

1. Ohio State.
2. Michigan State and Southern Cal.
3. Jockey who recently rode his 400th winner of 1955.
4. Boston Red Sox.
5. Ted Williams.

HOW WOLF?

Mrs. Peck — When you married me, you deliberately deceived me.

Henry — In what way, dear?

Mrs. Peck — You told me you were well off.

Henry — Well, I was well off. In fact, I didn't realize myself how well off I really was.

•Readers' Editorials

(The editor welcomes comment from readers, on any subject. The Canyon News reserves the right to edit any letter to make it conform to postal and libel laws. To be published, each letter must be signed, but the name may be withheld if requested. Please keep letters to 300 words or less.)

Dear Editor,

At last I have stuck to a New Year's resolution throughout the year.

The resolution to do all my purchasing of our family needs in Canyon.

This I have done, although in too many instances I have had to pay for substitutes, however I expect I will have less of that in the coming year as I expect the merchants I trade with to anticipate my needs.

Net Results:

$102.37 savings on fuel and parking car expense. (This does not include possible driving violation fines.)

My closets are free from clutter of things that I might have bought at sales, that I did not need, but I would "maybe" use some day.

All my personal bills paid up to date.

Have been able to devote more time to my family and to civic affairs, AND gradually dropping the two annoying words from my vocabulary (Too Busy).

Sum Total—A happier family.

Sincerely,
Mrs. W. E. Parker

Regulations for Broiler Festival Released Now by State Committee

COLLEGE STATION—The objectives of the Texas Broiler Festival program along with the rules and regulations for 1956 have been released by the state committee headed by F. Z. Beanblossom, extension poultry marketing specialist.

The objectives are to further develop and improve the production, marketing and consumption of broilers produced in Texas; have all segments of the industry cooperate and work together in improving and promoting the industry; give special emphasis to informing the consumer about the high grade of Texas broilers as an aid to consumption and develop the program of the Festival in such a manner as to bring about the desired improvements and information on broilers produced in Texas.

The 1956 program will include only a junior division. All entries must be postmarked before Feb. 29 and forwarded to Beanblossom at College Station.

An entry will consist of 100 straight run chicks and they must be hatched between March 11-17, 1956, inclusive.

The growing period will cover nine weeks and ends on May 14. All entries must arrive at the Corsicana Poultry and Egg Co. plant on May 14.

Rules and regulations have been mailed to county extension agents and teachers of vocational agriculture who have participated in past programs. They can supply details on the program.

A total of $800 in premiums will be awarded on the basis of classification judging. Only exhibits rating superior and excellent will receive awards.

The grand champion exhibit will receive an additional $50 and a trophy. The reserve champion entry will receive a trophy.

The Broiler Festival is the successor to the chicken-of-tomorrow program and according to Beanblossom, is the largest program of its type in the nation.

He expects the 1956 program to be even better than previous ones and encourages the state's young poultrymen to participate.

WHO KNOWS?

1. When did Gen. Douglas MacArthur surrender Manila, during World War II?
2. Who is King of the Cocos Islands, a group of coral islets in the Indian Ocean?
3. Only one letter of the alphabet does not appear on a telephone dial. Which one?
4. When was the United States Parcel Post system inaugurated?
5. What was the name of Tennyson's poem that begins, "Ring out, wild bells?"
6. Who was the 17th President of the United States?
7. What man was four times prime minister of Great Britain?
8. The loganberry is a cross of what two berries?
9. What famous American poet was a Quaker?
10. Who said, "Poor and content is rich and rich enough?"

The Answers . . .

1. On Jan. 2, 1942.
2. A 22-year-old Briton, John Clunies-Ross.
3. The letter Q.
4. On Jan. 1, 1913.
5. In Memoriam.
6. Andrew Johnson.
7. William Ewart Gladstone.
8. The blackberry and the raspberry.
9. John Greenleaf Whittier.
10. William Shakespeare, in Othello.

"What caused the explosion at your house last night?"

"Powder on my sleeve."

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T. A. BLACK

I GIVE YOU TEXAS

By BOYCE HOUSE

Cato, the Roman statesman, was once asked, "With all the statues there are in Rome, why is there no statue to you?" Cato replied, "I would rather that people would ask why there is no statue to Cato than to ask why there is a statue to Cato."

Perspective is highly important. We let ourselves get all worked up over something and afterward we realize the matter was of very little importance.

The Spaniards have a proverb, "He who means to resent every insult does not intend to live very long."

Every now and then, you hear of two farmers becoming enemies over the question of just where the boundary between their farm is. Probably not over an acre is involved, one way or the other—an acre worth maybe not more than $50. Yet they get mad and won't speak to each other.

A few years ago, two elderly men living in a city had a falling out about the dividing line between their house, a strip perhaps 100 feet long and a foot wide. One man lost the strip and everything else, for he lost his life. The other man might be considered the winner of the argument but he had to spend the last years with a shadow over them because he had deprived a family of its father and grandfather.

A whole book can sometimes be condensed into a few words.

Once, I was complaining about the shortcomings of a job to a friend but I cut my own "beefing" short with, "But if a man doesn't like a job, he can always quit." In a quiet tone, the friend said, "No, Boyce, he can't."

A volume could not have told his story more clearly.

You hear it said that the So-and-Sos are "trying to keep up with the Joneses." And who, may I inquire, are the Joneses trying to keep up with?

There are fewer people on farms in Texas than there were in 1880.

Money! I care nothing about money; I'm just interested in the things that money will buy.

Or, as someone else said, "Money never troubles me—it's the absence of money that troubles me."

Plan Religious Meet

Plans for the fourth annual tri-state faculty conference on moral and spiritual values to be held at Texas Tech in March were worked out recently. Committte members are C. L. Kay, left, West Texas State College; Dr. Hardy Stevens, Amarillo College; Dr. Ivan Little, chairman, Texas Tech; Dr. C. C. Schmidt, Texas Tech; and D. Ned Linegar, secretary, Dallas YMCA.

may 1956 be tops

with all our friends

JENNINGS MEN'S WEAR

Apiary Inspectors Find Serious Disease

COLLEGE STATION—Apiary inspectors, visiting 627 beekeepers, have found American foulbrood to be the most serious disease affecting honeybees in Texas.

A total of 58,421 colonies of bees were inspected in 1954-55. Of the colonies inspected, 430, or 0.74 per cent, were found to be infected with American foulbrood.

The inspections included 73 counties throughout the state during the state fiscal year and were made by Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and local inspectors.

American foulbrood is the most destructive and widespread disease of honeybees in the United States. For many years apiarists generally believed that once a colony became infected it would die.

Early work on this problem by investigations in Iowa proved that a certain resistance to American foulbrood does exist in honeybees.

Other bee diseases found, all of minor importance, were European foulbrood, parafoulbrood, paralysis, sacbrood and nosema.

Less than one per cent of the total colonies inspected was found to be diseased. The highest per cent of disease was found in 1951-52.

The past year was the third consecutive period since that time in which the percentage of disease has gradually declined.

Parafoulbrood, found in Lampasas county for the first time, does not appear to be a virulent disease in Texas since most affectment. European foulbrood was diagnosed in Hidalgo and Grimes counties, but does not appear any more prevalent than in past years.

Movement of colonies across county and state lines by commercial beekeepers creates problems in disease control. Apiary inspectors make a yearly inspection of queen and packaged bees of commercial men to prevent spread of any disease.

Each shipment of bees must be accompanied by an official shipping tag, a certificate or an affidavit that the bees are free of contagious and infectious disease. The detailed report is available colonies recover without treatfrom the Agricultural Information Office, College Station, Texas. Ask for Progress Report 1824.

There's one firm that has found that the automobile is a horse of a different collar. The Jim Dandy Collar Company, once the world's largest manufacturer of horse collars, has sold all its machinery at a liquidation sale.

Scientists in London have at last discovered a sure-fire method of telling a female's true age. Only dared work it so far on flies and mosquitoes. Requires complete dissection and analysis of all the bits and parts of the ladies.

Average size of the American farm is 242.2 acres, largest in at least half a century, according to the Census Bureau. This figure is 104 acres greater than in 1910.

Plentiful Foods Listing Large

COLLEGE STATION—Pork, beef and grapefruit top the list of plentiful foods for January.

Mae Belle Smith, extension specialist in consumer education, says shoppers will find a wide variety of kinds and cuts of pork and beef to suit the taste and family budget. Fresh and cured pork will continue to be a good buy and all kinds of beef will be plentiful especially the higher grades.

Grapefruit is important in the daily diet for it is rich in vitamin C, a vitamin that everyone needs each day. Shoppers are also reminded by Miss Smith that tangerines are a good buy as are winter pears, oranges, potatoes, pinto beans and peanuts.

Eggs are on the plentiful list for the first time in several months and are an excellent source of several needed food elements.

If more calcium is needed in the diet, milk and other dairy products should be considered.

Rounding out the January list are canned tuna and the vegetable fats and oils. Food prices, says the specialist, will stay high in 1956. This means that homemakers will have to buy wisely and plan carefully to keep within the family food budget.

The French Cabinet set Jan. 2 as the date for general elections for a new Assembly.

Secretary of the Treasury Humphrey told a Republican fund-raising dinner in Los Angeles that a Republican victory in 1956 was necessary to continue the country's "unequaled prosperity."

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Precinct No. 2 (vote for one)

1. John Butler
2. Wendell Sims
3. .....

Precinct No. 3 (vote for one)

1. E. E. Sharp
2. L. E. Mason
3. .....

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Fain-Golden Repeat Nuptial Vows In Service at Joseph A. Hill Chapel

Married recently in the Joseph A. Hill Chapel were Winnifred Ann Fain of 1007 Seventh Avenue and Jimmie Golden of 508 22nd St. The Rev. Strauss Atkinson read the double-ring ceremony.

Mrs. Golden is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fain and Jimmie Golden is the son of Mrs. Jean Love, 1717 Marrs, Amarillo, and Pete Golden, 508 22nd St., Canyon.

Vows were solemnized before an altar decorated with gold vases filled with white stock flanked by seven branch candelabra in large floor baskets of white stock and white gladiola. "The Lord's Prayer" and "O Promise Me" were sung by Debra McDonald with accompaniment by Marcus Robinson, organist.

Lajuanna Baily, flower girl and ring bearer, wore a green velveteen dress and carried a white pillow trimmed in Christmas colors. Mary Sue Bolton, the only bridesmaid, carried a bouquet of red and white carnations trimmed in Christmas colors and she wore a red velveteen dress.

Rose Barron was maid of honor. She carried a bouquet of red and white carnations trimmed by trimmings of Christmas colors and wore a green velveteen dress.

Best man was Billy McBroom. Donald Golden, brother of the bridegroom, was groomsman, and ushers were R. A. Burgess and Jamie Airhart.

Given in marriage by her father the bride was attired in a semi-formal dress of white lace and satin. She also wore a pill box hat and her white veil was of finger tip length. She carried a prayer book and a cascade arrangement of white orchids and stephanotis.

Mrs. Fain, mother of the bride, wore a blue faille dress with pink accessories and a corsage of pink carnations. The bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Love, wore a navy blue dress with white accessories and a corsage of pink carnations.

Immediately following the ceremony, the couple was honored with a reception in the Baptist Student Center. At the table, the bride's chosen colors of pink and silver were featured with a table set with a lace tablecloth over pink, a pink centerpiece. Pink punch and white wedding cake were served.

For the wedding trip to El Paso, the bride chose a fitted mauve faille suit and black accessories.

Mrs. Golden is a student at Canyon High School, and the bridegroom attends West Texas State.

Old Times, Friends Topics of Reunion

"Hi there, old kid! How are you?"

This was common chatter at the third Class of 1953 reunion last Thursday night in the high school cafeteria at which were present 14 former classmates, sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Devin and Mrs. Dan Sanders, and two room parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Myers and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bonds.

A post-graduation history of the class brought everyone up to date, memories were renewed with movies of the senior year, and fun followed with games and refreshments.

Those renewing old times were Tommy Myers, Leroy Dickerson, Richard Pruett, Sarah Colwell, Ralph Green, Dorothy Cleavinger, Bob Hood, James Miller, Carlene Morton, Frances Cunningham, Shirley Glandon, Grace Sheets, Doyle Bourn and Don McDonald.

Guests were Billy Morton, Larry Pippin, Jerry Bourn, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Devin, Roger Glandon and Donnie Glandon and Tommy Gooch.

Three members of this class are living abroad. They are Nancy Cunningham, who lives in Germany, Ogden Boothe, who lives in Germany, and Harold Root, who is in Japan.

News In Canyon 25 Years Ago

(Taken from the files of The Canyon News of Dec. 25, 1930.)

The state highway department announced a major program of highway building in the Panhandle that included two sections in Randall County. On the agenda were the 16.5 miles south from Canyon to the Swisher County line and the 16.5 miles west of Canyon on Highway 60.

Winners in the Christmas Decorations contest were S. W. Cain, J. M. Lybrand and Mrs. P. C. Britian.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Warren entertained the employes of The People's Store with a Christmas party. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Lige Frieze, Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hartman, Miss Velma Thomas, Miss Minnie McCarty and Mrs. Cecil Newberry.

Six women, Mrs. Noel Becket, Mrs. Fred E. Wortham, Mrs. Victor Steen, Mrs. V. C. Briscoe, Mrs. C. C. Morton and Mrs. Ed Phillips, attended the regular meeting of the Loyal Dozen Club.

Buy, Build, Live in Canyon!

A BIG HOWDY to '56

May you corral a heap of happiness and success in the year to come!

Consumers Fuel and Elevator

Hidden among the many Christmas features in the newspapers last Sunday was a bright little story from the Bureau of Internal Revenue

Soon, it said, we can be looking for the familiar envelopes containing 1955 income tax forms and instruction booklets. They delayed mailing these until after the holiday rush, the story continued, out of consideration for postal employes.

It was nice for the rest of us, too. While we won't have to carry several hundred of them from door to door, dealing out misery as we go, every one of us will be the unhappy recipient of one. And if the postmen think they have troubles doling them out, they should picture the interiors of the homes where they drop these billets-doux in mailboxes.

Even without this grim notice of reality, the head of almost every household in the U. S. has a violent post-holiday reaction of economy. He 'lets the family go' for the weeks preceding Christmas, thinking "I'll bear down on them right after the first of the year." Visions of heaped-up bills are already standing between him and a good night's rest. Then along comes this reminder that he must also pay for the pleasure of living in a country where it's so easy to live beyond one's means.

The psychology is startling, to say the least. Head-of-the-house becomes a bear in last year's clothing.

Since we have until April 15 to file these things, it does seem that the government could have waited to mail them until the evidences of Christmas generosity were out of sight!

Hyacinth Control Speeded in State

AUSTIN—Thousands of acres of water hyacinths have been destroyed in Texas' fresh water lakes but the job has scarcely begun, according to Marion Toole, chief aquatic biologist of the Game and Fish Commission.

The work, which has been underway about one year, is financed mainly under Dingell-Johnson grants from the United States Fish and Wildlife Service.

The principal areas of destruction so far, he said, have been in Caddo Lake in northeast Texas and in Lake Corpus Christi in South Texas.

The chief aquatic biologist said the hyacinths were so thick in Caddo that angling had been greatly curtailed, if not altogether prevented in some areas. But great stretches of waters have been reopened to fishermen.

Great quantities of liquids are required to kill the hyacinths, said Toole. The preparation comprises a form of 2, 4-D plus the addition of water soluble oil.

"We are doing what we can to improve fishing conditions in the localities where the hyacinths have been particularly heavy," he said. "We have many other requests for assistance in this control work but we necessarily are limited by funds and manpower."

He explained that the Dingell-Johnson fund used to finance the work is supported by a special 11 per cent tax on sports fishing tackle.

At the Bradley Burrus home Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. Meyer and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Meyer and children of Canyon, Mr. and Mrs. Austell Burrus and daughters of Gruver, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Burrus, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Anderson of Amarillo, and Mrs. George Albers.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Martin and children of Abilene, 1-C Frank Lill of Camp Pendleton, Calif., Lela Lill of Baytown, Texas, were guests in the John Lill home last weekend.

Fairview Breezes

Christmas has come and gone with things being very quiet in our vicinity. We all have much to be thankful for and we wish all The News staff a happy and prosperous new year.

The neighbors, friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sutton had an enjoyable Christmas Day in the Sutton home. A bountiful meal was enjoyed by the Sutton children, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Sutton, Calvin and Sidney of Claude, Mrs. Max Barnard of Canyon, Mrs. Erma Boyd and Charlie III, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Pool and Johnna Sue and Rustie of Vaughan, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Albert Legate of White Herald, and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sutton and Charlene of this vicinity.

Only two of the Sutton children were unable to attend. They were Mrs. Buster Poston of Laramie, Wyo., and Bud Sutton of Amarillo.

Friends attending were Mr. and Mrs. Curley Myers of Canyon, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wilson and Darrell, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Garcia and Priest Rogers.

Other relatives there were Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Airhart, Angela and Alica, Mrs. Ella Hext, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Wesley, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wesley, E. E. Wesley and son, Arlen Wesley, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Shipman, Jerry, Gene and Nan Earyle.

The community tree Saturday evening was attended by almost 100 people. The affair was complete with Santa and treats of apples, oranges, candy and nuts.

Those attending from Tulia were Mr. and Mrs. Don L. Amerson, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Cagle, Lynda and Vesta. From Kansas City came Mr. and Mrs. Junior Morgan. Mrs. Morgan will be remembered as Erdine Amerson. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Curley Myers of Canyon and Mr. and Mrs. Fichard Evans of Happy.

Mrs. Orene Rogers has been quite ill and under the care of a doctor in Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rogers had their children and grandchildren for Christmas Eve dinner. They were the Gordon Foster family and Jack, Pauline, Art and Connie.

The E. M. Wilson family gathered at the paternal Wilson home Monday for their Christmas dinner. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Wilson, Glenda and Eddie of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilson, Vickie and Junior of Plainview, Mrs. Kate Folk, daughter and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Folk and their two children of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rogers.

The Schaeffer family met for Christmas dinner on Sunday in the E. W. Schaeffer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith and son spent Sunday night in the paternal home. The Smiths reside in Lubbock.

E. E. Wesley and son, Arlen, visited Saturday night until Monday evening in the paternal J. W. Wesley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wesley and children, Debbie and Ken, visited friends and relatives in the Wayside and Happy vicinities over the holidays.

The John Patterson family visited Sunday in Groom with the Shaws who are Mrs. Patterson's family.

Mrs. Serena Bryan had a Christmas dinner Sunday for her family.

Mrs. Oscar Read has been on the sick list for several weeks.

The Truett Collier family enjoyed Christmas day with Truett's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Artie Pearson are at home on the old Howard place.

Weekend guests in Midland were Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Furlow. They visited their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Petty.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Black spent the holidays in Woodward, Okla., with relatives.

Ted Reids Are Christmas Hosts

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Reid had as their Christmas dinner guests their daughter, Mrs. Marcelete Lee, and her daughters, Marcalyn and Lerry, Mrs. Ethel Mullins, their son, J. W. Reid and children, Jim, Dick and Nancy.

Also present were Mr. and Mrs. Warner Reid and daughters, Sue and Mike of Silverton, Bob Reid of Aquilar, Colo., and Dr. and Mrs. R. G. Fowler and children, Carolyn, Cynthia and Kent, of Dumas.

A Christmas tree was enjoyed later in the evening.

Visitors in the Floyd Kiser home were Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Harding and Roy Adams of Bowie, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Slagle, Ginger and Mike from Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Harper, Mike and Shirley from Amarillo, Calvin Kiser, Anna Lee Russ and Bobby from Panhandle, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Harding and family, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Harding and Jim, Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Harding, Martha and Arthur of Canyon.

Home for Christmas was D. C. Gamble to be with his wife and Karen. He is currently working on a pipeline near Oklahoma City.

CARD OF THANKS

Acknowledging with grateful appreciation your very kind and thoughtful expression of sympathy.
Mrs. Joe Thompson and family

We wish to express our deepest appreciation to all the lovely people of Canyon who were so kind and helpful showing a heartful of love during the serious illness of Dyalthia and especially to the hospital staff for the wonderful care given her. May Christ abide with you during this Christmas season.
Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Bradshaw, Ella and Julius, Bovina, Texas

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WILL DO IRONING in my home. OL5-3605. 34tf

WANTED: Waitress, morning shift. Apply in person. Chuck Wagon Cafe. 4tf

WANTED: Avon Customers—Mrs. E. W. Pettitt, 801 6th Ave. Phone 5-3059. 25tf

WANTED: Will buy hens and do custom dressing of poultry. Myers Hatchery. Dial 5-3631. 28tf

YARD AND GARDEN BREAKING. Call OL5-4408. 35tf

WANTED; Lady to do telephone survey in her home. Guaranteed salary. Address inquiries to Wilco, 1014 So. Van Buren, Amarillo, Texas, % Mr. L. L. Woodworth. 37tf

MISCELLANEOUS

REWARD: Will pay reward for the location of a white female cocker spaniel dog. Wearing collar and tag, has brown ears and small brown spots on body. Call OL5-2183 38t1

DRESSMAKING & ALTERATIONS, Mrs. E. D. Morris. 2004 4th. Dial 5-3009. 23tf

LOW INTEREST rate loans on farm or city property, through Southwestern Life Insurance, or if you need abstract work, or anything in that line, call or see Randall County Abstract Company. A. B. Holt, owner-manager. Dial 5-3211, 1406 4th Ave. 18tf

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1313 West 15th Amarillo
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LICENSE, CHILD CARE day or night; fenced yard; hot meals 205 26th Street. Dial OL5-3837. 31tf

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LOST: Small Bulova wrist watch in vicinity of post office and bank. Reward for return. Dial OL5-3565. Armor Lee Marchbanks. 37p2

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STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

Notice is hereby given to the stockholders of the First National Bank in Canyon that the annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank will be held at its offices on the second Thursday of January, 1956, the same being the 12th day of January, 1956, at 4:00 p. m. for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and considering other business which may come before the stockholders.

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NEWS LETTER

FROM CONGRESSMAN WALTER ROGERS OF THE 18TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

More About the Moscow Metropole

I pointed out last week that the Moscow Metropole, or subway station, was one of the Russian show places. They are most anxious for everyone who comes to Moscow to ride on it. Once they get you aboard, you are almost sure to go over the entire system before they let you off.

Actually, it is a most pleasant experience, although time consuming. It is certainly one place that you can get a complete view of a cross-section of Russian life.

You see almost every type of individual from all of the Soviet Republics and many foreigners. The dress of many of these people instantly gives away their nationality, and in many instances, you can identify the section of the Soviet Republic from which they come.

The main entrance to the subway, which is located in the heart of Moscow, is continuously seething with humanity. The ticket arrangement is efficient and fast moving.

Entrance to the main subway station is by escalator. There is a bank of six escalators—three moving downward and three upward.

Frankly, they were the longest escalators that I had ever seen, and I was not too anxious to get on them. However, one of our guides laughed and said that there were thousands of people who rode them every day without mishap.

I finally got on, but never did get over my skittishness. The thing was not only very long, but it was very steep.

The operation of the cars is very similar to the operation of the New York subway. Everyone seems to be in a rush and the cars all seem to be pretty well jammed. In the front of the cars there is a compartment for the crippled, the old and the children.

Speaking of the insistence of the Russians that you see the subway, it might be pointed out that the guest of honor, Honorable Lester Pearson, Canadian Secretary of State for External Affairs, was late for the reception that was given for him by the high Soviet officials. His lateness was due to the fact that he was being taken for a ride—subway, that is.

Foreigners Stationed in Moscow

Moscow resembles Washington in many respects, insofar as the many people from foreign countries is concerned. I took advantage of every opportunity to talk to foreigners, to try to obtain their impressions of Russia.

Of course, some were happy to be there, while others were very, very unhappy. Most of the unhappy ones came from the Western countries.

Some seemed to feel that they were resented in Moscow and were being continuously watched with a skeptical eye. This is, in a large part, due to the actions of the Russians that, in my opinion, should be corrected.

For instance—a number of Americans who are stationed in Moscow have formed The American Club and have acquired a building for the same. They have equipped the building in much the same manner as many of our YMCA's.

It is an excellent club and serves an outstanding purpose for its members. The trouble lies in the fact that immediately outside the front door, the Russians have stationed two policemen. This post is manned by policemen 24 hours a day.

Perhaps the Russians would take the position that they are merely protecting the Americans, in explanation of this police post being so located. However, it occurs to me, that if the Russians behaved themselves as well as the Americans I saw in Moscow, it would hardly be necessary for this protective measure and the police post could well be moved some place else.

The same station exists at the American Embassy where police are on duty at all times.

I discussed Moscow with many other foreigners, and the consensus seemed to be about the same—that the Russians were overly suspicious about the people from the Western countries. Some complained about the living quarters and others food.

All in all, it amounted up to a situation that could easily be remedied by the Russians, if they are as bent on peaceful pursuits as they proclaim.

Entertainment

Entertainment in Moscow is primarily confined to athletic contests, the opera and the ballet. There are a number of movie theatres, but these are not considered outstanding in the eyes of Russians.

We were told that there was only one night club and that it was located in the Sovetsky Hotel. They told us that formerly it had been called, "The Yar," but that the name had recently been changed and it was now called the "New Yar."

Four of us went by there one evening to see what Russian night life looked like. The night club consisted of a very large dining room, brilliantly lighted, with a bandstand at one end. Flood lights were high on the wall at the opposite end of the room and shone not only on the band, but on most of the people in the band end of the room.

Most everyone we could see was eating heartily—the Russians are great eaters. They have eating places in the opera house, in all the theatres, and many other places where crowds gather.

The orchestra consisted of 17 pieces and was playing mostly American jazz music. We were told that this was a new innovation that had recently started. We surmised that the brand of music had probably changed at the same time as the name.

Anyway, the Russians seemed to enjoy the jazz music much more than any other kind played by the orchestra. We were there for about an hour and the orchestra played the entire time.

About 70 per cent of the music was American jazz and the rest was Viennese waltzes and some gypsy music.

Incidentally, in most of the countries we noticed that Christmas decorations were already being prepared in all of the stores. This was not so in Russia. In fact, there was no indication of any celebration of Christmas.

We're thankful in advance, every time we think of Thanksgiving day. No turkey hash and turkey soup for us. Mama's serving duck this year.

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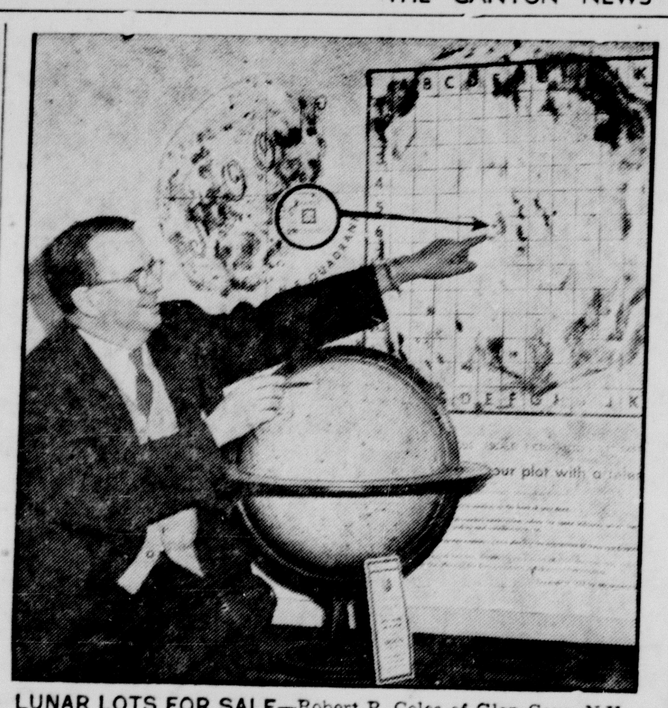

LUNAR LOTS FOR SALE—Robert R. Coles of Glen Cove, N.Y., points to "allotment" on plot of the moon's Crater of Copernicus. Area shown is an enlargement of circled area on telescopic picture of moon, at left. A former chairman of New York City's Hayden Planetarium, Coles has incorporated "The Interplanetary Development Corporation." He hopes to sell moonscapes at one dollar an acre. Buyer supplies his own transportation if he wants to "moonstead" his land.

Cartrite Receives Commendation Letter

Leonard E. Cartrite, Navy engineman second class, of 2606 Fourth Avenue, Canyon, was recently awarded a letter of commendation for outstanding performance of duty while serving aboard the dock landing ship USS Lindenwald.

The commendation read in part "while the Lindenwald was in the Arctic Ocean participating in Operation Dewline extremely hazardous conditions were encountered. Even through ice, uncharted waters, extreme weather conditions and darkness inhibited the performance of duty, accomplishments were far above those normally expected."

Dewline was the resupply expedition to radar stations of the far North.

The Lindenwald is now at Little Creek, Va., for a period of leave and upkeep.

WOODN'T WORK

Lady to hobo: "Did you notice that pile of wood in the yard?"

Hobo: "Yes'm, I seen it."

Lady: "You should mind your grammar. You mean you saw it."

Hobo: "No'm. You saw me see it, but you ain't seen me saw it."

The Minnesota Democratic organization recently invited Adlai E. Stevenson, the party's 1952 Presidential nominee, to enter the state's Presidential primary next March 20.

NO. 2990
EDWARD A. WOMACK, Plaintiff
VS.
N. W. MURBURG and SUSAN GAYLE MURBURG, Defendants
IN THE 47TH DISTRICT COURT OF RANDALL COUNTY, TEXAS

TO N. W. MURBURG and SUSAN GAYLE MURBURG, Defendants, and all other persons interested in the above entitled suit:

Notice is hereby given that EDWARD A. WOMACK, Plaintiff, has filed interrogatories in a suit pending in the 47th Judicial District Court of Randall County, Texas, wherein the parties are EDWARD A. WOMACK, Plaintiff, and N. W. MURBURG and SUSAN GAYLE MURBURG, Defendants, No. 2990, to be propounded to J. H. JOHNSON, a witness who resides in Knoxville, Iowa, which with the answers thereto, will be read in evidence on the trial of said cause; that he has also filed an affidavit in said suit that both Defendants therein are without the limits of the State of Texas and beyond the jurisdiction of this Court, and that said Defendants have no attorney of record upon whom notice and copy of interrogatories can be served, and that a commission will issue on or after the fourteenth day after the first publication of this notice to take the deposition of said witness.

ATTEST: Mavis Hill, Clerk of the 47th Judicial District Court of Randall County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Canyon, Texas, this 15th day of December, 1955.

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Clerk, 47th District Court,
Randall County, Texas
(SEAL) 37t2

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Patrol Deadline Extended 1 Week

AUSTIN—W. J. Elliott, chief of the Texas Highway Patrol, has announced a one week's extension in the deadline date for filing applications for appointment to the state patrol.

Elliott said that applications will be received which are postmarked not later than Sunday midnight, Jan. 8, 1956. Original filing date was set for Jan. 1st. The patrol chief said that the additional time is being granted because of the advent of the Christmas holidays and he wanted to give every eligible young Texan a full opportunity to apply for the highway patrol positions.

Young men between the ages of 21 and 35, inclusive; with a high school education and of good moral character and physical fitness who are not less than 5 feet 8 inches in height and whose weight is proportionate to their height are eligible to make application.

Examinations will be held in various points throughout the state during the latter half of January and those qualifying will enter patrol training school in April.

Elliott said that application blanks may be secured at any Texas Highway Patrol District Office or by writing him in care of the Texas Department of Public Safety at Austin.

Fellow across the desk from us says that people who disapprove of the amount of clothes worn by strip-teasers are making a big to-do about nothing.

THERE WERE

The chief strode into the fac'sle and shouted, "O. K., you lazy, half-witted jerks, muster on deck on the double!"

The men grabbed their hats and mustered — all except one, who lay in his bunk, blowing smoke rings.

"Well!" roared the chief.

"Well," said the sailor, "there certainly were a lot of them, weren't there?"

HE CAUGHT ON

The young wife greeted her husband affectionately when he returned from the office.

"Poor darling," she said. "You must be tired and hungry. Would you like some nice soup, followed by nice tender chops with golden-brown potatoes and green peas, and then mushrooms on toast?"

"No, darling," her husband answered firmly; "let's save the money and eat at home."

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Widespread Grasshopper Warning Given for 1956 by Entomologist

COLLEGE STATION—Livestock producers and farmers in the Texas Panhandle and in counties along the caprock south to Borden and east to Kent and Stonewall are alerted to possible widespread and damaging infestations of grasshoppers in 1956. Also counties in the central part of the state from the Oklahoma line southward to Gonzales and Guadalupe, should watch developments very closely.

Extension Entomologist F. M. Fuller says surveys made by the Plant Pest Control Branch of the U. S. Department of Agriculture last summer and fall show that 8,747,000 acres of rangeland in the West Texas areas are carrying 'hopper populations ranging from 14 to 100 per square yard.

This compares with an estimated four and a half million acres infested at this time last year. Favorable weather conditions at and immediately after the hatching season could produce more trouble from 'hoppers than has been experienced in several years, says Fuller.

On the other hand, he points out, unfavorable weather and the presence of predators and grasshopper parasites could cut the anticipated infestation. But, he adds, the situation should be carefully watched and plans made for an all-out control program.

The area where heaviest populations are expected also has about the same acreage of cropland infested now. The rangelands are the better ranges which are covered with grama and buffalograsses.

If the expected outbreaks occur in large areas controls should be applied between June 1 and July 15. The Federal Government will bear one-third of the cost of treating rangeland and provide technical assistance.

The estimated cost per acre is 60 cents. The savings in grass could amount to several millions of dollars.

Fuller points out that an infestation of 6 to 7 'hoppers per square yard on 10 acres can consume grass at about the same rate as a cow and that 8.7 million acres now have potential populations of from 14 to 100 'hoppers per square yard.

Local county agents will be watching developments and organizing for control but will need the cooperation of all concerned, says Fuller.

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Collins Honored On 84th Birthday

Melinda C. Collins, patient at the Boi Kuar Rest Home, was honored on her 84th birthday with a party given by the staff and guests.

She was presented with gifts and a cake lighted with all 84 candles. Other refreshments of sandwiches, canapes, cookies and drinks were served.

Honoring Mrs. Collins were her daughters, Mrs. C. G. Pond, Mrs. Verna Trout and Mrs. Ruth Hodges from Gentry, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Edmondson and staff.

Mrs. L. A. Pierce, Mrs. Mary Yearwood, Mrs. Mary Field Steen, Mrs. Jimmy Steen, Mrs. Arthelia Murphy, Mrs. Lovelle Bohning, R. H. Kahler, Mrs. Addie Hefner, and Mrs. Page Brown.

U. S. reports progress in easing import curbs.

An automatic navigator flies a naval radar plane.

DEER DEER'S FRIENDS HAVE GENTLE HEARTS—All the good sports in the Pittsfield, Mass., area weren't out gunning for deer during deer season. This young buck was given haven by police and firemen after he fell on the ice of Onota Lake. He was carried by stretcher to a police ambulance and transported to a barn to recuperate from his bruises.

Happy Birthday

December 29
Mrs. Herschel Coffee
Frieda Menke
Thomas Boling
Gene Mickey

December 30
Joe Cook
Earl Gene Peppard
Mrs. Dale Wegrick
Neil Kilchriste
Jeanette Shelnutt

December 31
Morton Angel
Bill Knighton
A. H. Prichard
Mary Lange
Raymond LaCour
Bill Neal McMillan
C. E. Colling
William Eldon McCarter Jr.
Walter Boehning
Richard A. Gray
Bobby King

January 1
Tommy Hunter
Mrs. Emmal Foster
Mary Koenig
Billy Thomas
O. F. Meyers
Mrs. Bertie Strain
Virginia Lynn Blackburn
Mrs. Walter Graham
Merle Jean Bullard
Clyde Mullins

January 2
Mrs. Glenn Braden
Billy Oscar Gano
Mrs. Ed Bagot
Bradford Black
Mary Ruth Dowell
Harold Root
C. W. Fewell
Herschel Coffee

January 3
Mrs. Jessie Parker
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Mrs. George A. Farlow
Bobby Hacker

January 4
Cortez McNeill
Bobby Lou Sullivan
Mrs. Mark Foster
Mrs. C. O. Elkins
Mrs. Wayne Thomas

Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between J. Evetts Haley and Rufus B. Graves in Randall County, Texas, under the firm name of "Palo Duro Press" was dissolved by mutual consent on the 1st day of October, 1955. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be received by the said Rufus B. Graves and all demands on the said partnership are to be presented to him for payment.

J. Evetts Haley
Rufus B. Graves 37t4

The United States has warned both Israel and the Arab states that it would be "strongly opposed to the side which starts a war" in the Mideast.

DEFINED

Lecturer — Can anyone give the derivation of the word 'auditorium'?

Listener — Yes, from the word audio, to hear, and taurus, bull. A place where you—

Lecturer — That will do.

HE DID

O.O.D. (inspecting liberty party prior to leaving ship) — Attention!

Voice from Ranks — Give me liberty or give me death.

O.O.D.. Who said that?

Voice from Ranks — Patrick Henry.

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OH, DEAR! SUCH TERRIBLE WEATHER! AND I WANTED TO GO SHOPPING TODAY, TOO!
AH! WHAT LOVELY WEATHER!
PEGGY
I TOOK MY TEACHER AN APPLE YESTERDAY, AN' NOW SHE'S MAD AT ME!
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Hospital News

Vickie Lynn Costley, surgical
Mrs. W. L. Cleveland, surgical
Albert Fithen, medical
W. J. Wooten Jr., medical
Vivan Christian Lassen, surgical
Mrs. R. E. Daly, medical
Mrs. Frank West, medical
Mrs. John Bellinghousen, medical
Mrs. L. E. Thomas, medical
Roy Robert Armitage, surgical
Mrs. R. T. Ziegler, surgical
Kathy Collins, medical
Mrs. Eva B. Anthony, medical
Mrs. Guy F. Protsman, surgical
Mrs. Harney Rogers, medical
Keith Loden Stevens, surgical

College Students

John B. Griffin, medical

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kimbell of Wildorado are the proud parents of a boy born Dec. 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Whittington are the proud parents of a girl born Dec. 21.

It's a boy for Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Deeds. Dec. 23 is the birth date.

A baby girl was born Christmas Eve to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Hamilton of Hereford.

Also on Christmas Eve, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence J. Whittenberg became parents of a son.

On Tuesday, a boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Davis of Happy.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Davis are the proud parents of a daughter born early this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Black and son, Coy, spent Christmas at Aransas Pass, Padre Island, Corpus Christi and Beeville. They left Coy at the Navy base in Beeville.

Mr. and Mrs. James Darst and children of Arlington spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Darst and children.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wray of Dallas visited with Mrs. Wray's mother, Mrs. B. C. Taylor Sr., and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Slack of Vega are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Burney Slack and Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Goodman.

Television for Christmas

Through the generosity of Canyon merchants, a television set was installed in Gene Peggram's room at Neblett Hospital for the holidays. Peggram was seriously injured in an automobile accident three weeks ago, and was forced to remain in the hospital during Christmas.

Javelina Hunting Described as Fine By Game and Fish Commission Man

AUSTIN—Stalking javelinas is recommended as prime sport by W. S. Jennings, assistant director of Wildlife Restoration for the Game and Fish Commission.

He debunked some of the harrowing tales coming out of South Texas thickets about the wary brush hogs, but did admit javelinas have the weapons to be mean when wounded. Above all, he said javelinas are difficult to outmaneuver and besides make good food, especially when barbecued.

"The javelina's keen sense of hearing and smell plus his habit of living in the thickest brush makes him one of the most difficult of game animals to approach," said Jennings. "If your stalking ability has enabled you to approach a javelina close enough for a shot, that shot must be good.

"If you miss, the javelina will be out of sight behind a clump of prickly pears in a fraction of a second and chances are that unless you have stalked a herd and an escaping animal passes close by, you will not get another shot.

"Many javelinas are killed each year by deer hunters as they sit in blinds waiting for deer to come by. Few are taken by hunters who set out to stalk a herd.

"Only a hunter who has developed his stalking ability to its keenest point or one who accidentally runs into a herd is successful in bagging a javelina if he is hunting just for them.

"Anyone who has seen the head of a javelina mounted by a skilled taxidermist will marvel at the long, razorsharp teeth, exposed by bristly lips. Sharp beady eyes and laid-back ears give it a pose that is not easily forgotten.

"Such a mount makes for much conversation in the hunting camps and in the dens of men. Wild tales about the ferocity of the javelinas are retold striking fear into the hearts of greenhorn and veteran hunters alike until each panics at the sight of a javelina.

"But the javelina isn't really ferocious. He much prefers to run rather than fight. If he has to fight, he does it with blinding speed and a slashing hook with his sharp tusks will tear a dog open from shoulder to hip, even splitting the ribs. For a little fellow, he really puts up a rousing battle when cornered."

Javelina seasons vary but many South Texas counties have open seasons on the brush hogs the year around.

Help Keep Canyon Clean!

Farmers Ask Social Security Questions

"Self-employed farmers in the Texas Panhandle District have become increasingly aware of their rights and responsibilities under the 1954 amendments to the Social Security Act," John R. Sanderson, manager of the Amarillo District Office, said recently.

Sanderson based his statement on the large number of farm operators that have been contacting the local Social Security office. "The Social Security District office has been glad to assist these farmers in obtaining answers to their questions and will continue to do so," Sanderson said.

One of the most frequently asked questions during this past season when crop harvesting was under way dealt with the employer-employe relationship between the farm operator and the harvesting crew.

Sanderson summarized this situation as follows, "Employes are often made available to farmers by a 'labor contractor' or 'crew leader.' Some labor contractors or crew leaders are the employe agents of the farmer; others are acting on their own and thus self-employed in their own right.

When the farmer has the right to control and direct the crew leader in his work, the crew leader and members of the crew are employes of the farmer.

All farmers who have had employes during the year 1955 that were paid cash wages of $100 or more should immediately apply for their agricultural employer identification number. (This is different from their social security number).

Forms may be had at the local post office or by writing to your District Social Security office or Internal Revenue office.

Sanderson advises farmers wishing more detailed information to get in touch with the Social Security office. The address of the Amarillo office is Room 324, Post Office Building.

Holiday guests in the home of Mrs. J. D. Key were Mr. and Mrs. Alton Key of Carpinteria, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Everett E. Key, Robert and Carolyn of Lubbock, Mrs. Emma Bridges of Kress, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Bridges and daughter, Kay, and also Don Bridges of Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Key, Joe and Sylvia Carver of Canyon.

New Year Baby To Have More Breaks Than Did Brother Fifteen Years Ago

AUSTIN—The 1956 version of the New Year's baby will get more breaks at birth, statistically speaking, than his brother got 15 years ago, State Health Department statisticians say.

Among other things, his chances of having the advantages of a hospital birth under competent medical care are more than double the chances his brother had in 1940.

The statisticians, after consulting their slide rules and long rows of figures, come up with these facts:

Nearly nine out of ten babies are born in hospitals nowadays. Fifteen years ago, three out of every five babies born in Texas arrived without their mothers ever leaving home.

There were 208,503 hospital births in 1954, more than double the percentage of such births in 1940. Last year only 29,821 births occurred at home.

Physicians in 1954 were in attendance at 220,274 births, including 11,771 home births. Percentage wise, this means physician deliveries were increased by 8.3 per cent, while the number handled by midwives has been cut in half since 1940.

But still midwives reigned supreme over home deliveries in 1954, officiating in 18,050 instances.

Chances of the New Year's baby reaching his first birthday alive and healthy are much improved over the chances his 15-year-old brother had, since the infant death rate is less than half the rate in 1940. State Health Commissioner Henry A. Holle attributes the difference to better pre-natal care.

The mother of the New Year's baby will be better off too. Her counterpart of 1940 ran a death risk seven times greater than today's mother runs during the birth process. Dr. Holle credits improvements in maternal care with making the difference.

And, finally, it will be easier for the physician who attends the birth of the New Year's baby to keep up with the details than it was in 1940. State Registrar W. D. Carroll has devised a "Physician's Birth Memorandum," a pad of miniature birth certificates on which the facts of birth can be noted on the spot.

Then, back at the office, it is a simple matter for the physician's clerk to transcribe the facts from the miniature to the full-sized birth record form as required by law.

Carroll predicts physicians will find the new memorandum a vast improvement over the old one, which bore no resemblance to a birth certificate.

Ladies Auxiliary Has Annual Party

The Presbyterian Ladies Auxiliary had its annual Christmas party in the home of Mrs. L. A. Donnell with 21 ladies present.

The program included: Mrs. E. A. Brown read the Scripture Christmas story, followed by a prayer by Mrs. Cleavinger. Readings, "The First Christmas," "The First American Christmas," "Christmas Around The World," and a Christmas story were given by Mrs. Burrow, Mrs. Clark, Miss Walker and Mrs. Wilbanks, respectively.

Games were played, carols recorded and refreshments were served.

League Bowling Matches Restart

In the first match after a few weeks omission, Uhlmann Grain and Lindeman Brothers were the two high ranking bowling teams of the Umbarger Bowling League. Uhlmann Grain also captured the high team triple and high team single matches.

Highest scoring individual in the singles was Bernard Hartman with a score of 194, and with a score of 496, Joe Albracht rated high man in the triple matches.

Team scores:

	W	L
Uhlmann Grain	9	3
Lindeman Brothers	9	3
P. O. Grocery	7	5
Raef Brothers	7	5
Umbarger Co-op	5	7
Farm Supply	4	8
Gulf Service	4	8
U-Drop-Inn	3	9

Holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Wilson were Perry Wilson of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Olie Ford of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Tige Groves, Susie, Rue Paula of Stinnett, Robert Groves, who is a student at Stephensville, and Mr. and Mrs. Hamil Wilson and children of Fritch.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hefley and sons of Gruver were holiday guests in the A. B. Berry home.

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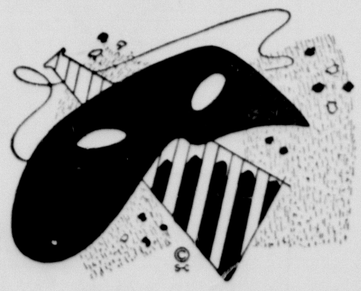
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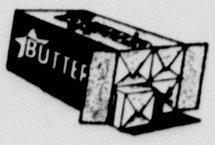

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Wayside News

Rev. Joe Leatherwood filled his regular appointment Sunday.

Bettye Ruth Kennedy of Vigo Park spent the weekend with her grandmother, Mrs. Viola Stockett.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Modisette, Royce, Marian and Fay are spending Christmas holidays with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Will Modisette of Haleyville, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Strohmeyer, Kathy, Karen Sue, Kenneth, and Carlene are visiting relatives in and around Pilot Point.

Mackie Allgood of Oklahoma City is spending Christmas with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Adams.

All of the M. L. McGehee children are spending the Christmas holidays at the old home.

Those enjoying dinner on Christmas Eve with Mrs. Bessie Lane were Mr. and Mrs. George Hancock and Judy, Mrs. Bill Mitchel, Lou Ann and Carley of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Joyce Lane and Joy, Mrs. Mary Jenkins and Merle of Canyon, and Mr. and Mrs. John McGehee.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Harry and their baby daughter and Mrs. Doris Gillham and Traverne came from California to spend Christmas with relatives.

Mrs. Fronia Denny of Panhandle is spending Christmas with her son and family, the George Dennys.

Visitors in the Bill Heisler home are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Womble, and a sister and her family, the Oren Hefners, of Fredrick, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Mahler were called to Walters, Okla., Friday night to attend the funeral of a brother-in-law, John Myers.

Visitors in the W. R. Franklin home for Christmas Day dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Franklin, Kerry, Sudy, Sharon and Sonny of Canyon and M. C. Sluder of Happy. Mr. and Mrs. William Payne and Lynn of Clarendon were callers in the afternoon.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

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Miss Richardson Tells Refugee Type

In explanation of the type of refugee which might come to Canyon, Miss Mary Moss Richardson, chairman of the county refugee committee, issued the following statement.

"Often we are asked what sort of refugee Canyon is preparing to invite to live here. The President of the United States, in his relief bill signed in 1953, says they are 'men and women of the same character and integrity as their and our ancestors who, generation upon generation, have come to America to find peace and work, to build for themselves new homes in freedom.'

"They are Germans expelled from Eastern Europe, people who have escaped from behind the Iron Curtain to temporary asylum in Western Europe, Polish War Veterans who fought for the Allies who are not allowed to go home, and 4,000 orphans.

"Pray for places to be found where they may happily work out useful lives among us."

Percentage of college-educated persons in the United States is currently about 7½ times more than at the turn of the century, according to a University of Michigan estimate.

As we greet this New Year we wish our friends and customers much happiness and prosperity in 1956!

Canyon Oil Co.

State Capitol NEWS

By VERN SANFORD
Texas Press Association

Drew Pearson is drawing the wrath of Texans.

The TV news commentator's financial advice to "Put your trust in U. S. Trust" led many Texans to invest life savings in the U. S. Trust and Guaranty Co.

So says Garland Smith, chairman of the Texas Insurance Board, who along with Atty. Gen. John Ben Shepperd and Judge Charles O. Betts clamped the padlock on the firm's 14 Texas offices.

"I think Drew Pearson was responsible to a great extent . . . Mr. Pearson sitting in Washington, the Capitol at his back, telling people 'You can put your trust in U. S. Trust.' We've talked to these people. They think the U. S. Government was behind it — that it was safe," said Smith.

According to Judge Betts, the firms operations appear to have been "born in iniquity and sin and fraud, and would seem to have been conducted that way from the beginning."

A Texas legislator warned Pearson more than six months ago that there were questions about his extravagant claims. Pearson flew to Waco and talked to the head of U. S. Trust. He decided that everything was fine and continued his TV chant "You can put your trust in U. S. Trust."

Now his gesture of hiring a lawyer, to help salvage what is left of the firm's funds, doesn't alter the fact that Texans who took his advice and sank their savings in the firm stand to get back as little as 15 cents out of every dollar invested. Many of the depositors and policy holders are bitterly criticizing Pearson.

Today, something like 128,000 people are feeling the sting of personal losses because of easy faith. Not all of the criticism is directed at Pearson, but he is getting his share of the blame.

Senate Inquiry Starts

Even while court hearing was under way, the Senate's investigating committee went to work to gather facts surrounding the failure of U. S. Trust and Guaranty Co.

Meeting in the Senate's committee room, the investigators named State Auditor C. H. Cavness as its watchdog to make certain that records of the company, and all of its affiliates, are preserved. He also was asked to prepare a summary of expenditures of the company for 1954 and 1955. It was to include legal fees, public relations and advertising expenditures, with names of persons to whom they were paid.

Criticism was directed at the state insurance commissioners by Renne Allred, ousted last year as attorney for the liquidator-receiver of the commission. In a prepared statement he said there was evidence of the company's insolvency as far back as last year.

A second meeting of the Senate committee is scheduled for Jan. 11.

More Insurance Actions

Another insurance company, All American Home Lloyds of Dallas, was put in receivership last week. Hearings were set for Jan. 5 for four others to "show cause" before the insurance commission why their licenses should not be revoked.

All American was shut down after the commission alleged it was insolvent to the tune of $235,217.

Ordered to show cause were U. S. Life Insurance Co. and Southern Medical and Hospital Services of Waco, both affiliates of U. S. Trust and Dallas Fire and Casualty Co. of Dallas, and American Atlas Life Insurance Co. of Dallas.

Show cause orders for the four did not necessarily reflect on their solvency the commission said.

Land Suits Filed

Although paling beside the new excitement of far-flung insurance manipulations, the old veterans' land scandal, was back in the news.

Attorney General Shepperd filed six new suits, seeking recovery of $548,824 paid out by the state to block land operators.

Thirty-six such suits, asking for recoveries of $3,500,000, are pending in court.

Big Business Year

Except for falling farm prices, Texas' economy is riding high at the end of 1955, with a bright outlook for 1956. Experts predict a leveling off after the big push upward from 1954, but foresee no sharp jolts.

Evidencing the general prosperity in 1955 were: A new high in crude oil production. An all-time high in non-agricultural employment. A billion-dollar year (forecast) for Texas construction. Booming retail sales, expected to run 10 per cent ahead of 1954. New car registrations running almost 50 per cent higher than last year. Recovery of the Valley citrus industry from the 1949 and 1951 freezes. Multi-million-dollar contract for a Texas aircraft plant.

In contrast, State Agriculture Commissioner John White warned farmers that the future was "grim." He advised them to keep production costs to a minimum and avoid further debts.

Five Honored by Jaycees

Texas Junior Chamber of Commerce has selected what it considers the five outstanding Texans of 1955.

They are: Dr. William Steuart McBirnie of San Antonio, under whose leadership the Trinity Baptist Church grew in six years from 94 to 2,000 members; William B. (Bill) Bellamy, executive administrator of employe and public relations for the Express Publishing Co. of San Antonio; Bill Allcorn of Brownwood, special prosecutor of veterans land cases for the attorney general's department; Dan Eddy of Dallas, public relations executive for the Salvation Army in Texas; and Jim Lindsey of Texarkana, youngest man ever elected speaker of the Texas House of Representatives.

Short Snorts

Paralytic polio this year struck six times more Texas children who were not vaccinated than those vaccinated . . . Texas highway fatalities for 1955 are expected to run four per cent above 1954 . . . Jan. 16-21 has been designated by Gov. Allan Shivers as Pay Your Poll Tax Week . . . He has proclaimed Jan. 23-29 as Citrus Week . . . Twenty-one tracts of land declared forfeited by the Veterans Land Board are to be put up for sale at the earliest practical date . . . Jack R. Maguire of Austin was named executive secretary of the Texas Ex-Students Association, succeeding John A. McCurdy who resigned several months ago . . . Two Houston families have contributed $55,000 to further improve the state's future $3,000,000 courts building. Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Clayton gave $50,000 and Mr. and Mrs. S. M. McAshan Jr., $5,000.

Bible Verse to Study

"Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord."

1. Who is the author of the above statement?
2. What is the meaning of it?
3. Where may it be found?

BIBLE VERSE ANSWERS

1. Presumably David.
2. That true religion is the secret of national blessing.
3. Psalm 33:12.

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John Petry Attends Four-Day Seminar

John Petry, director of the Baptist Student Union and teacher of Bible at West Texas State College, is one of 45 student directors and Bible instructors who gathered at the Mount Lebanon encampment grounds south of Dallas today for a four-day seminar sponsored by the Student Department, Baptist General Convention of Texas.

The occasion is the ninth annual program of its kind and will feature study groups, reports, inspirational messages and the sharing of techniques, experiences and fellowship.

Dr. W. F. Howard, director of the department, will preside at the series of meetings.

Among those who will speak are Dr. Chad Walsh, a member of the Beloit College faculty in Wisconsin and the author of several books; Dr. E. F. Hallock, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Norman, Okla.; Art Driscoll, student director at the University of Oklahoma; Dr. W. L. Howse, educational director for the Baptist Sunday School Board in Nashville, Tenn.; and Dr. Foy Valentine, director of the BGCT Christian Life Commission.

Dr. Howard said the purpose of the seminar is "to discover new spiritual truths, to re-define our jobs in all their relationships and to be possessed by a greater concern for students and the vital ministry of the Baptist Student Union in Texas."

There are approximately 60 BSUs on Texas college campuses, where student programs directly affect the lives of more than 30,000 Baptist young people.

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Around the Town . .

By DOVIE KEENE

Here it is just about time for 1956 to arrive and that means another 12 months of Around the Town have been completed. Glancing back through the files I read some of the highlights of the column which were written mainly by Mrs. Clyde W. Warwick.

Starting back in January of 1955 Mrs. Warwick wrote of the "Merry Maids and Matrons Club" which had met for an evening party. This club was organized in 1909 and three times a year the husbands of club members are entertained. In a fascinating and entertaining manner, Mrs. Warwick threw the verbal highlight on the gentlemen, their apparel and of course, their hair styles.

For instance, Dr. A. K. Knott was quite fashionably dressed in a blueish brown tweed cut English style, a color blended to bring out the clear tones of one's skin. This color went nicely with Dr. Knott's brown hair which he wore pompadour.

In the same edition was a notice about the baptism of the nieces and nephews of Miss Esther Plank who are the children of Col. and Mrs. Edward Dreiss. These children were baptized with water taken from the Jordan River which Miss Plank brought back from Palestine in 1953.

Oh, and this theme included in a January edition is a prize. A teacher received this jewel in a class assignment. It reads: "Ben Franklin was born in Boston and as soon as he had any sense he moved to Philadelphia. He was hungry and so he bought a loaf of bread and walked down the street with the loaf under his arm. A young lady he passed laughed at him and so he married her and discovered electricity."

Moving from January to February, Mrs. Warwick wrote that Dr. J. A. Hill and Dr. Hattie M. Anderson had completed the revised edition of their book, "My Country and Yours." This book has been adopted in Texas as an United States history for fifth or sixth grades and was first used beginning Sept. 1, 1955.

And in February, it was called to attention that two important items, a 99-year-old valentine and a novel exhibit of the story of wheat, had been added to the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum. The valentine was given by Mrs. Irene T. Payton of Amarillo and it originally was sent to Mrs. Payton's grandmother. The exhibit of wheat shows the story of wheat from harvesting to the form of bread. It was built by the Oregon Wheat Growers Association and Buff Morris and Kenneth Kendrick, president of National Wheat Growers, secured the exhibit for the museum.

Here we are up to March of '55 and Mrs. Lee Foster has reviewed "Love Is Eternal," by Irving Stone on Sunday afternoon in the Branding Iron Theatre. This was the third in a series of book reviews given by the speech department of WTSC.

Spring, April blossom time, and the United Church Women announced their annual May Fellowship Day at the Christian Church on May 6 at 11 o'clock. Mrs. George Hill, president, and Mrs. W. A. Miller were to be in charge of the program.

Also in an April edition, this interesting item from Mrs. Ples Harper appeared. She said that, "When she and her family lived in Peru, the geraniums blossomed so profusely that whenever a danger sign was needed on the highways or streets that instead of putting a red light they put up a huge bouquet of red geranium blossoms!"

Tripping right along into May, the files say this was the month in which the Canyon Community Concert Association was formed. In a meeting with Mrs. Elizabeth Lawjer, representative of the Community Concerts, Inc., Mrs. R. A. Neblett was elected president, Dr. A. K. Knott, vice-president, Mrs. H. R. Fulton Jr., secretary, and Rev. Winston Wilbanks, treasurer. Mrs. Neblett appointed Milton Morris, second vice president, Truett Hull, appointment chairman, Pauline Brigham, dinner chairman, Mrs. Clyde Warwick, publicity chairman, and M. J. Newman, concert chairman.

The association began a drive in September to sell tickets and results showed over 600 memberships sold at $6 for adults and $3 for students. One artist, Igor Gorin, baritone, performed Nov. 10, and still to appear are Leonard Pennario, American virtuoso, on Jan. 12, and Camilla Wicks, violinist, on March 24.

June, the month of weddings, and what does a couple need more at that time than a minister? Well, to help the situation, and to fill a position at the Central Church of Christ, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wear and son, John, moved to Canyon from Hereford to live in the Church of Christ parsonage at 2510 East Eighth Avenue.

Also in June, Mrs. Bryce Slack, who won the cook of the month award for May, appeared on Miss Mack's TV program. Her select recipes were salmon steak and tartar sauce and corn meal lemon pie.

On the seventh month of the year, the columnist, Mrs. Warwick, was plenty excited for on July 11, she, Dr. and Mrs. A. K. Knott, Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Sheffy, Mrs. Clay Cooper, Mrs. S. B. Loudder, and Mary Patricia Haley left for a two months tour of Europe.

Mrs. Warwick bequeathed the column to her daughter, Mrs. Arthur C. Haley Jr. for the period she was in Europe, and sent reports of the trip to Mrs. Haley. From Mrs. Warwick and also Mary Patricia came accounts of sights in England, the Netherlands, Austria, Germany, IItaly, Switzerland and France.

Camp time came in August and Pamela Richards, Ellis Gill, Ritchie Brotherton, Larry Holman and Bill Philips spent a week at the Methodist Camp as members of a junior camp.

On August 17, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Sparkman moved into their new home at 2512 9th Ave.

Came Sept. 7 and Mrs. Haley, still writing, had a bit of excitement. Her car was stolen in bright daylight in front of The Canyon News. By the way, the car was recovered at White Plains, Texas, some time later.

On Sept. 7, Mrs. Haley also wrote that Mary Patricia Haley and Mrs. Clay Cooper had returned from the trip abroad and that Marie Cooper traveled to New York to appear on Earn Westmore's show as a member of a panel to pick a model for make-up. She was guest on the Ted Mack show and one of her models displayed a Marie Cooper hair style.

A later date in September finds Mrs. T. V. Reeves leaving for her tour of the far East which she is continuing at present aboard the Cingalese Prince.

Sept. 28 and welcome back Mrs. Clyde Warwick. She soon got into the swing of things and began writing her column telling of her experiences in Europe and bringing to notice incidents and objects of the community.

Among these incidents was a notice that Loula Grace Erdman's newest book, "The Far Journey," is now on sale. Mentioned also was the open house for the new Canyon elementary school at which were present two of the first to ever attend Canyon schools, Mrs. B. C. Taylor and Mrs. Ed Harrell.

On Nov. 2, Mrs. Warwick writes that members of the Canyon Variety Club, a sewing group, has adopted Girlstown as its good will project for the year. Thirteen representatives went to Girlstown near Whiteface to present a silver collection and a quilt.

Around the Town was out of circulation for a few weeks during the illness of Clyde Warwick, and then yours truly took over writing the column on Nov. 30.

December files record a letter from Mrs. T. V. Reeves written on Thanksgiving Day telling of her visits to Manila, Hong Kong, Tokyo, where she saw Frances Wilroy, a former home demonstration agent in Canyon, the Philippines and India.

That month's files also record the Christmas pageants at the Methodist, First Baptist and Christian Churches, open house at H. R.'s Greenhouse, where the theme of "Winter Wonderland" was so effectively portrayed, the construction of the Nativity scene on the patio of the residence of Mary Moss Richardson and the numerous class reunions.

The reunions are recent news night, and the '55 class reunion as the '53 class reunion was last Thursday, class of '48 Monday night. Still to be staged tomorrow at 7:30 p. m. is the class of '54 reunion.

This brings the review up to date, but a last trip around town finds that the children of S. B. McClure gave him a Christmas dinner Dec. 22 at the home of Boone McClure. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Bailey McClure and son, Dan, of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Hobart McManigal and children of Happy, and Mr. and Mrs. Boone McClure and Sheryl Ann.

And that, Mrs. R. E. Foster visited Mrs. Robbie Holston of Borger.

That Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Morgan and LaJoy of Tonaskat, Wash., are visiting with her mother, Mrs. L. M. Bosley, for the Christmas holidays.

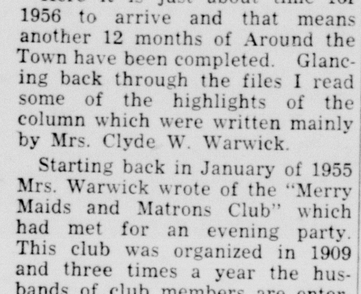
That Mrs. Alice Black welcomed her children from California home for the holidays. Children visiting her are Mr. and Mrs. James LaCour and family of North Ridge, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Herman Smith and Steve of Santa Ana, Calif.

That Mrs. Max Bellah and son, Dick, of Greenville, Texas, arrived Wednesday to visit Mrs. Alfred Bellah.

And that there has been mighty unseasonable holiday weather.

Late Christmas Eve, the stork played Santa and delivered a baby boy to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence J. Whittenburg of Canyon.

"Lord, thou hast been our dwelling place in all generations. Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever thou hadst formed the earth and the world, even from everlasting to everlasting, thou art God." Psalm 90:1-2.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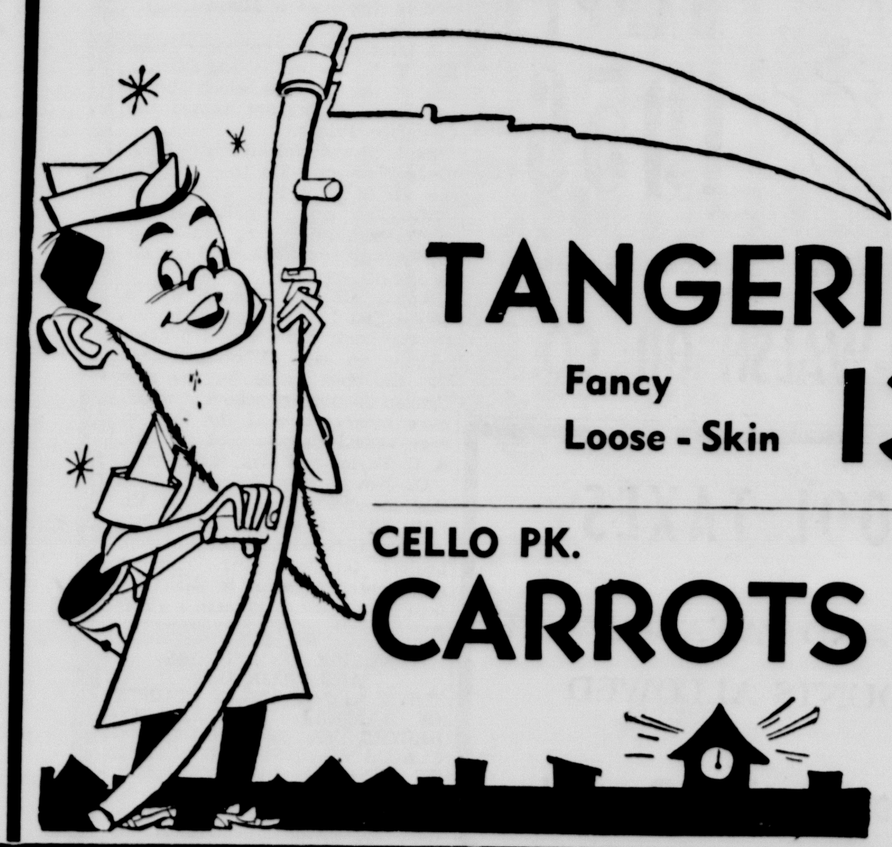

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RECIPE OF THE WEEK
By Mary Lee Taylor

Black Bottom Pie

1½ teaspoons unflavored gelatin
3 Tablespoons water
1 pkg. vanilla pudding powder
2 eggs, separated
1 cup Pet Evaporated Milk
¾ cup water
1 teaspoon vanilla
⅓ cup semi-sweet chocolate pieces
¼ cup sugar

Have ready an 8-inch baked pastry shell. Soften gelatin in 3 Tablespoons water. Put pudding powder into 1½-quart saucepan. Stir in gradually a mixture of slightly beaten egg yolks, milk and ¾ cup water. Cook and stir until mixture comes to a full, all-over boil and is thick, about 5 min. Remove from heat and add vanilla. Put half of pudding into a small bowl and stir in softened gelatin. Chill until thick, but not set. Add chocolate pieces to pudding left in saucepan. Stir until pieces are melted. Cover and cool about 5 min., then pour into baked pastry shell. Beat egg whites in a quart bowl until stiff. Beat in sugar gradually. Fold into chilled vanilla pudding. Pour over chocolate pudding in pastry shell. Chill thoroughly.

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